

Giving a Scientific Opinion

Imagine that you are a scientist studying global warming. You've been asked to speculate whether we are in the midst of a period of global warming. How could you tell whether we are in a period of global warming? (Hint: What did you learn about carbon dioxide levels during the Ice Age?) What effect do you think any environmental changes will have on animals living today? Do you think we should try to stop global warming? If so, what should we do?